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Response to Restriction Requirement

Dear Examiner:


In response to the restriction requirement mailed 06/13/2003 for the subject case,
applicant elects claims 1-18, directed to an implantable microminiature infusion pump,
with traverse.

The present paper is formatted pursuant to the June 30, 2003 announcement on the
USPTO website titled "Revised Amendment Practice: 37 CFR 1.121 Changed" (see
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